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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers announce Winter Recreation Reductions for Bardwell Lake

FORT WORTH, Texas –The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Fort Worth District will close High View Park for the winter season in order to reduce costs while maintaining as much winter recreational opportunities as possible. The changes are being implemented to reduce operating costs when recreation area usage is typically very light. The changes in operations include reductions in open recreational facilities for camping and day use during the winter months at Bardwell Lake.

The camping loop and day use areas at High View Park will be closed from Oct 1, 2011 until March 1, 2012. The boat ramp will remain open to the public as well as the marina during the closure period.

Any questions concerning the closure of High View Park may be addressed to the Bardwell Lake office at 817-972-5711 or in writing to Bardwell Lake Office, 4000 Observation Drive, Ennis, Texas, 75119.

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About the Fort Worth District: The Fort Worth District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers was established in 1950. The District is responsible for water resources development in two-thirds of Texas, and design and construction at military installations in Texas and parts of Louisiana and New Mexico. Visit the Fort Worth District Web site at: www.swf.usace.army.mil.